Welcome to Harmonie State Park!

September 2008 The nature center offers displays and programs for folks of all ages! Located in the campground, come visit us!

Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Welcome to Wild Turkey Weekend! Welcome Triathlon participants!	5 3 pm Leafy Turkey Critters NC Make a turkey for judging Sat. 5pm at the Nature Center	6 10am INShape Fitness Walk CG Family Fitness Day at Wabash River 3 pm Calling all Turkeys! NC 5 pm Turkey Judging NC 730 pm Moonlight Hike CG	7 10am Turkey Bingo NC 1 pm Habitat Hank Video NC
11 As fall approaches, you will notice many changes. One will be the Katydid's song from "Katydid" to "Katy" and "Kate" as temperatures cool.	3 pm Petroglyphs NC Write a picture story the way ancient peoples did!	13 10 am Hoosier Quest Hour NC 1 pm Solar Cooking 101 NC 5 pm Animal Origami NC 7 pm Batty Hike CG	Amphitheater located behind sites 75 & 76, come play!
18 Kunstfest in town of New Harmony; German Art, Food, Crafts and Music! Sat & Sun 10am - 5 pm For more info call 1-800-231-2168	19 3 pm Oh, Deer! NC	20 10 am Hoosier Quest Hour NC 3 pm Petroglyphs NC 5 pm Leaf Prints NC 7 pm Sensing the Night (hike) CG	21 10am Edibles & Medicinals CG (hike) 1 pm Hummingbird Feeders NC make & take craft
25 This is a great day to hike a trail. Currently we have 7 hiking trails, 1 paved bike trail and 1 horse trail. We have begun working on a new mountain bike trail and several miles of horse trails! Stay tuned!	26 3 pm Tree I.D. Spree NC Come learn how to learn trees with an easy take-home flow chart!	2710 am Habitat Chat NC 3 pm Snail Trails NC 5 pm The Sweet Life of Honeybees! NC 7 pm Owl Prowl CG	28 10am Autumn Splendors Hike NC 1 pm Nature Journals NC
Nature Center Hours: Thursday/Friday 9am - 4:30pm Saturdays 9am -7pm Sundays 9 am - 4:30 pm	The nature center is not always staffed. Please make it your responsibility to watch your children. Thank You.	This is Archeology month in Indiana. Look for Indiana events at www.dnr.in.gov and celebrate Indiana's past, present and future!	

Location Key:

NC- Nature Center **Amp**-Amphitheater (behind sites 75 & 76)

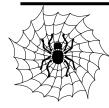
CG- Campground Gatehouse WR-Wabash River Picnic Area

All programs are free and open to the public. Children under 12 <u>must</u> be accompanied by an adult on all Naturalist-led hikes and programs not occurring at the Nature Center. Your supervision makes the program great for everyone.

September is Indiana Archaeology Month!

Celebrate the history of Indiana peoples through fun programs this month. Every day historians and scientists are learning more about the rich history of our glorious state. Visit nearby Angel Mounds State Historic Site for real past cultural living! Ask the Naturalist for directions, a 50 min. drive from Harmonie State Park.

Hoosier Quest now available! An updated, entirely new patch program! Anyone ages 5 through adult can sign up to earn an individual Discover or Connect patch or work as a family group for the Explore pin. Visit the Nature Center Saturdays at 10am or ask the Naturalist to begin.



We're on the Web!

Now, you can find all park and reservoir property schedules on the internet! Begin your search at: www.interpretiveservices.IN.gov

Program Descriptions: all programs 30-45 min. unless otherwise specified

Adventures with Habitat Hank: Learn about good turkey habitat mgmt. with Habitat Hank in this short video. NC

Animal Origami: Fold ordinary paper into extraordinary animals! NC

Autumn Splendors Hike: Enjoy fall's amazing palette on this easy walk. CG

Batty Hike: Separate fact from fiction on this 1 mile hike. 1 hr. CG

Calling All Turkeys: Explore the many calls of the wild turkeys with some experiences guest turkey hunters! NC

Creature Feature: We'll dive in deep and learn about one creature. What will it be? NC Edibles & Medicinals: What's edible and what's not and the importance of plants in medicine yesterday and today. 45 min CG

Fishing Golf: A fun, factual combination of fishing and miniature golf. Ampitheater **Habitat Chat:** Gotta have it, can't live without it, it's time for a habitat game! NC

Hummingbird Feeders: Make simple feeder to take home with you! NC

INShape Fitness Walk: Meet at the CG for the 2 mi walk for better health. Drawing for prizes, register by 10am!

Leafy Critters: Colorful leaves set us up for this creative craft at the nature center! **Leaf Prints:** Use a hammer to make a colorful craft with nature's own ink! NC

Let's Talk Turkey: Turkeys make about 20 different calls, guest speaker tells us what they're saying and make a turkey call of your own to take home! NC

Nature Journals: Take a break to make a nature journal to record your nature visits! NC

Oh, Deer: Learn about deer management and play a fun game at the NC

Owl Prowl: An easy walk down Trail 5 in search of Harmonie's Barred Owls! CG 1 hr.

Petroglyphs: Stop by the Nature Center and write a story with ancient petroglyphs.

Ring-tailed Rascals: Find out why these cute creatures can't have our s'mores and a little more about the life of a raccoon. NC

Sensing the Night: Come and see, smell, hear, feel and taste the night forest! CG **Signs of fall:** Join the Naturalist as we search high and low for autumn's approach! NC

Snail Trails: Learn all about these slow, slimy creatures! NC

Solar Cooking101: Make your own cooker to trap the sun's amazing energy. NC

Tree ID Spree- Learn some trees with an easy take-home chart! NC

The Sweet Life of honeybees: Dive into our hive and learn some sweet facts. NC **Turkey Jeopardy:** Bring your bird brains and compete in this gobbling good game! NC